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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Mail Stop **Amendment**
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This document is responsive to the Office Action mailed **April 20, 2005** for which a three-month period for response was given. This response is timely filed with a Petition and fees for One-Month Extension of Time and fees, thereby extending the response period to August 20, 2005. As this date falls on a Saturday, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.7, this response and petition is considered to be timely filed on August 22, 2005. In view of the discussion provided, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are recited in the listing of claims beginning on page 9 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.